Resolution No. 18-02

Resolution of the Town Council of Ridgway, Colorado Amending the Police Procedures Manual to add a Section 23: Seat Belt Policy

WHEREAS, the Town Council implemented the Police Procedures Manual through the adoption of Resolution 99-04 on April 14, 1999; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council has amended the Police Procedures Manual since that time of initial adoption; and

WHEREAS, the Police Procedures Manual does not include a Seat Belt Policy and such policy is now desired to preserve the health, safety and welfare of the Marshal's Department.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF RIDGWAY, COLORADO the Seat Belt Policy as described herein is now adopted:

23. Seat Belt Policy	

Wearing of Safety Restraints:

All members shall wear properly adjusted safety restrains when operating or riding in a seat equipped with restraints, in any vehicle owned, leased or rented by the Ridgway Marshal's Department while on – or off-duty. The member driving such a vehicle shall ensure that all other occupants, including non-members, are also properly restrained (CRS: 42-4-236; CRS: 42-4-237).

Safety Restraints shall not be required in circumstances where such use would pose a greater risk than not using them.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 21st day of February 2018.

ATTEST	TOWN OF RIDGWAY	
Pam Kraft, MMC, Town Clerk	John Clark, Mayor	